IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Dieter Otto Paul JUNKERS et al. Confirmation No. 4202

Application No.: 10/560,935 Examiner: Michael Lavilla

Filed: December 15, 2005 Art Unit: 1794

For: DOUBLE WALLED METAL TUBE, METAL BAND AND STRIP, AND METHOD OF

COATING A METAL STRIP

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement of October 27, 2009, Applicant elects Group I claims 1-16 and 23-37 with traverse. Applicant respectfully submits search of both groups can be made without serious burden.

Applicant believes no fee is due with this response. However, if a fee is due, please charge our Deposit Account No. 14-1437, under Order No. 8455.042.US0000 from which the undersigned is authorized to draw.

Dated: November 23, 2009 Respectfully submitted,

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